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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS***Filing Date Granted***

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
 - The drawings submitted to the Office are not electronically reproducible. Drawing sheets must be submitted on paper, which is flexible, strong, white, smooth, non-shiny, and durable (see 37 CFR 1.84(e)). See Figure(s) 2.

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GLUCOSE TOLERANCE

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In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (Notice) mailed June 21, 2004, Applicant respectfully submits a replacement drawing (Fig. 2, 1 page), a Request for Corrected Filing Receipt, copy of Filing Receipt marked to show correction, a Supplemental Application Data Sheet and Part 2 Copy of Notice.

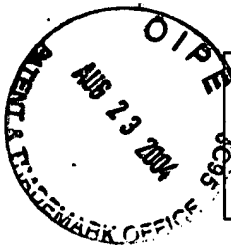
The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 18-1945, under Order No. WIBL-P02-522. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Dated: August 20, 2004

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Submitted herewith is one replacement drawing (one sheet, Fig. 2) as requested in the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers for filing in the above-identified patent application. Kindly substitute the enclosed replacement drawing for the drawing submitted with the originally filed application.

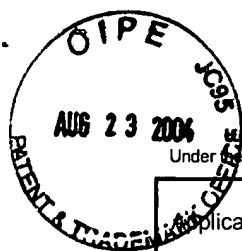
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